"JAG lets you do the research and find the right college that offers opportunities to help you achieve your goal." — MCHS Student

"JAG has given me the chance to be all that I can be, by listing out careers that I would like to pursue" — NCHS Student

"JAG brightens the career path and roadmap to your future, \(\eta\) making that foggy and "lost" highway seem like a stroll in the park." — KHS Student

"A few things the JAG Specialist provided me were comfort, help, support and having a friend." — JCHS Student

"I chose to job shadow a career I have been thinking about for a long time, a special education teacher. It was the best experience ever!"

— BHS Student

"The JAG Initiation and Induction Ceremony was something that instilled a sense of pride into every member." — CHS Student

"JAG for me is probably the most interesting class I am in.

My schedule includes Astronomy,
Psychology and Integrated
Chemistry and Physics, and JAG is definitely the most interesting and my favorite." — CHS Student

## Schools currently participating in East Central Indiana:

- · Blackford High School
- · Connersville High School
- Jay County High School
- · Knightstown High School
- · Muncie Central High School
- · New Castle High School

# I am a community/business person. How can I partner with JAG?

- Be a guest speaker in the classroom.
- · Provide internships or job shadowing.
- Volunteer to be a mentor.
- · Sponsor students to conference events.
- Ask JAG students to volunteer with community projects.

# I want to be a part of JAG. How do I join?

- Contact the JAG Specialist or a Guidance Counselor at your local High School.
- · Complete an application and screening process.
- · Be selected by the JAG Advisory Committee.

#### **For More Information:**

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#### Giving Indiana's students of promise the opportunity to transition from the classroom to their career



## What is JAG?

Jobs for America's Graduates (JAG) is a school-to-career program for Juniors and Seniors that is taught in Indiana High Schools.

JAG's goal is to keep young people in school through graduation, preparing them to enter employment and/or post-secondary education upon graduation.

### **Students Who Participate Receive:**

- Nontraditional classroom instruction including employability skills training.
- · Exploration of career choices.
- · Adult mentoring based on career interest.
- · Guidance and counseling.
- Credit towards graduation.
- · Leadership development.
- · Paid and unpaid internships.
- · Community service opportunities.
- Post-secondary educational placement services.
- 12 month follow up services after graduation.

WorkOne resources.

## Students Who:

**JAG Provides Employers with** 

- · Have received pre-employment skills training.
- Have participated in work readiness and leadership development activities.
- Are prepared for the work environment.
- Have received assistance with the employment transition.
- Have extra support to assist with training, clothing, and other employment related expenditures.
- · Are motivated to succeed.





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